



## Nippers 2019/20

Hi Everyone,

It's one week before term 4 starts and we all need to start thinking summer, surf, swimming and of course catching up with friends **and now that its October, registration is open for Nippers!**

This is our 2<sup>nd</sup> year of the paperless enrolment process. It went quite well last year, however it's really important to remember there are 3 parts to the process.

1. Fill out the on line form <https://forms.gle/vycUJMtrcNsa9coW6>
2. Renew or begin your Club membership with the surf club through Surf Lifesaving Australia by following the instructions below.
3. Preliminary Swim Forms - Print out, fill out and email back a clear picture/scan to [wyerivernippers@gmail.com](mailto:wyerivernippers@gmail.com). With your family name in the subject line please. Prelim Swim form is attached.

### Nipper Dates

This year's program is quite compact and we can only fit in 7 sessions. We are also hosting the Apollo Bay friendly, so needless to say that will be quite an interesting day, fingers crossed the winds are from the northwest, the swell small and the tide low!

Date	Day	Session	Time	BBQ	SRC	Social
27th Dec	Friday	Rego Day	3-5pm	no		
28th Dec	Saturday	1	10-12pm	yes		Summer Fling
29th Dec	Sunday	2	10-12pm	yes	SRC water based training 10am-12pm	
30th Dec	Monday	3	10-12pm	yes		Nipper Movie Night
31st Dec	Tuesday	4	10-12pm	yes	SRC water based training 10am-12pm	
1st Jan	Wednesday	rest		no		
2nd Jan	Thursday	5	10-12pm	yes	SRC 9am-4pm	Jnr Ipod Shuffle
3rd Jan	Friday	rest		no	SRC 9am-4pm	CFA Fete/Cosy Corner
4th Jan	Saturday	6 - Apollo Bay/Wye River Friendly	9-1pm	yes	SRC 9am-4pm	
5th Jan	Sunday	rest		yes	SRC 9am-4pm assessment	Celebration BBQ dinner
6th Jan	Monday	7- Club Champs and Presentation	10-1pm	yes		

## SRC

The SRC course will run officially from the 2-5<sup>th</sup> January, we have programmed 2 extra water-based training sessions during the nipper sessions to help prepare for this award. This year the Bronze camp will be run before Christmas so this group will only be SRCs.

The format of the camp each day is split between theory and practical sessions. Typically, the morning will start at 9am in the clubhouse concentrating on theory. Then after lunch, at around 1, you will hit the beach for a practical session involving a run-swim-run, board and rescue work. There is no need to stress - this is a continuation on what you have learnt and practiced in your nipper sessions over the past years.

It is highly recommended that SRC swim regularly and have confidence in their ability to swim at least 200m in a pool so when they swim at Wye they are assured they can do it.

Please email [wyeslscchief@gmail.com](mailto:wyeslscchief@gmail.com) if your child is interested.

### Membership: new and renew

Membership renewals for 2019/2020. Please follow the step by step instructions and ensure that you have both submitted renewal requests in the SLSA Members Area (previously called Members Portal) and also paid the applicable fees.

Family members please note that a renewal request needs to be submitted for each individual family member. If you have set up a family group this will be a simple click on the "Renew" button next to each member's name in the My Family tab.

Please email [mirandabordignon@gmail.com](mailto:mirandabordignon@gmail.com) if you have any problems with the renewal process. Membership instructions can be found here: [http://www.wyeriverslsc.asn.au/membership\\_renewal.html](http://www.wyeriverslsc.asn.au/membership_renewal.html)

### Membership fees

Membership fees will remain the same as last season:

Family - \$160 (Includes parents and dependent children of any age (i.e. full time students)

Family with concession/health care card- \$100

Nipper - \$35 (NB: Payable in addition to family membership)

Senior active (18 yrs and over) - \$80 (Not payable if covered under family membership)

Cadet active (15 – 18 yrs) - \$70 (Not payable if covered under family membership)

Associate - \$70 (Non-active individual membership)

Senior (60 yrs and over) - \$40

**\*\*Nipper members must also be family members and at least one parent must be a family member of the club.\*\***

### Preliminary Swim Form

Remember that Nippers is not a learn to swim program. The time they spend in the pool is very important as it not only builds strength and fitness, but confidence.

The form is attached or can be found on our website under the Nippers tab.

<http://www.wyeriverslsc.asn.au/nippers.html>

Please send through completed forms to [wyerivernippers@gmail.com](mailto:wyerivernippers@gmail.com) by 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019

## Water Safety

To all those teenagers (and teenagers at heart) out there who have their SRC or Bronze – we always need your help during nippers. Fill out this form to help us work out who will be around and what dates suit. Be tempted to do them all!

<https://forms.gle/cCcQzwaZpuKYvCwG7>

We are looking forward to another ripper time on the beach.

See you soon,

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